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ACTION DEPARTMENT 601, INFORMATION: PARIS 185, LONDON 163, CINCEUR  
PRIORITY 79, USAREUR PRIORITY 82, USAF PRIORITY 124.

PARIS FOR USRU, STOESSER AND MCGUIRE.

DEPARTMENT PASS DEFENSE

REF DEPTELS 591, 660.

MEETING ARRANGED FRIDAY MORNING WITH MOD TO PRESENT PLANS FOR AUGMENTATION US FORCES GERMANY. PRESENTATION WILL BE MADE BY REPRESENTATIVES OF USAREUR AND USAF. REPRESENTATIVES OF EUCON, EMBASSY AND MAAG WILL ATTEND AS OBSERVERS. MOD WILL BE REPRESENTED BY GENERAL SCHNEZ AND APPROPRIATE ADVISERS INCLUDING MEMBER FONOFF AND PERHAPS OTHER MINISTRIES. PURPOSE OF MEETING WILL BE TO MAKE FULL AND DETAILED PRESENTATION OF MAXIMUM REQUIREMENT OF GROUND FORCES AND AIR FORCES IN AUGMENTATION PLANS.

FOLLOWING INITIAL PRESENTATION RECOMMENDATION WILL BE MADE TO GERMAN AUTHORITIES THAT DETAILED PLANNING PROCEED URGENTLY IN SPECIFIC FIELDS CONDUCTED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF COMPONENT COMMANDS WITH APPROPRIATE AGENCIES OF FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

SINCE DISCUSSIONS WILL INEVITABLY BECOME PUBLIC, EMB WOULD APPRECIATE GUIDANCE ON HANDLING THESE MATTERS WITH PRESS.

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